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SUBJECT: DEATH OF RANDA JOY NASIR

REF: STATE 186163

1. EMBASSY HAS BEEN IN FREQUENT CONTACT WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES REGARDING DR. NASIR'S REQUEST, TRANSMITTED TO US IN HIS COMMERCIAL CABLE OF JUNE 29, FOR SPECIMENS AND AUTOPSY REPORT. IN ADDITION TO ORAL REQUESTS TO APPROPRIATE OFFICES, WE WROTE ON JULY 5 AND JULY 18 TO RESPONSIBLE OFFICERS IN MINISTRIES OF INTERIOR AND JUSTICE RESPECTIVELY.

2. WE HAVE BEEN ASSURED BY AUTHORITIES FROM ONSET THAT AUTOPSY REPORT AND POLICE REPORT WOULD BE MADE AVAILABLE AS SOON AS THEY HAD BEEN PREPARED IN FINAL FORM, AND WE HAVE INFORMED DR. NASIR OF THIS BOTH TELEGRAPHICALLY AND TELEPHONICALLY. QUESTION OF AVAILABILITY OF SPECIMENS REMAINED UNANSWERED UNTIL VERY RECENTLY.

3. AUTHORITIES HAVE NOW INFORMED US THAT SPECIMENS WERE DISPOSED OF SHORTLY AFTER AUTOPSY WAS COMPLETED AND ARE THEREFORE NOT AVAILABLE. THEY HAVE ALSO INFORMED US THAT COMPLETE AUTOPSY REPORT AND POLICE INVESTIGATIVE REPORT SHOULD BE AVAILABLE AT THE END OF JULY. WE WILL FORWARD THEM TO DR. NASIR IMMEDIATELY AFTER RECEIPT.

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4. QUESTION AS TO WHETHER OR NOT POLICE ARE STILL INVESTIGATING POSSIBILITY THAT DECEASED WAS PUSHED IN STRUGGLE WITH UNKNOWN INTRUDER CANNOT BE ANSWERED UNTIL WE SEE FINAL POLICE REPORT. NEVERTHELESS, CONSULAR OFFICER AND EMBASSY SECURITY OFFICERS WHO HAVE DEALT WITH POLICE CONDUCTING INVESTIGATION ARE CONVINCED THEY

HAVE PROCEEDED IN THOROUGH AND PROFESSIONAL MANNER.

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